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1. U.S. Patent No. 6,496,201, issued December 17, 2002 to Baldwin, et al.;
2. U.S. Patent No. 6,343,313, issued January 29, 2002 to Salesky, et al.;
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